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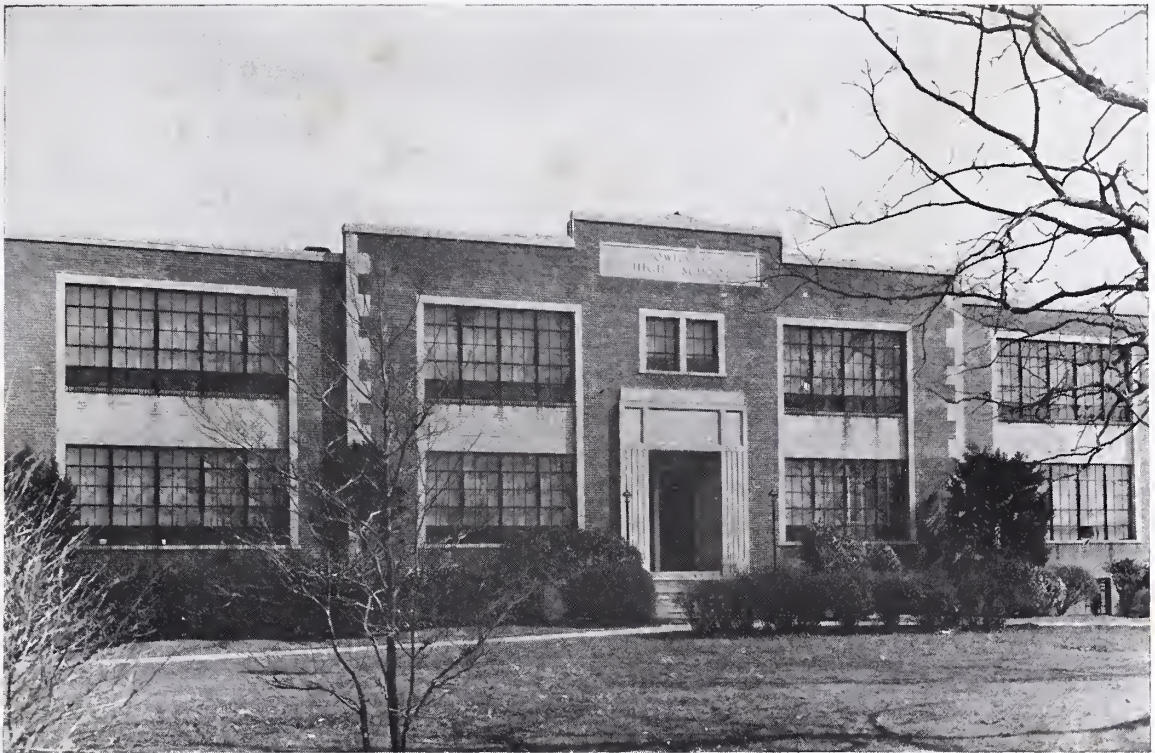


POWHATAN AGRICULTURAL HIGH SCHOOL
POWHATAN, VIRGINIA

FOREWORD



It is the wish of the Class of 1948 that as you turn the pages of this annual, memories of the school days that are past may be reawakened in your mind.



POWHATAN AGRICULTURAL HIGH SCHOOL



MR. J. B. M. CARTER
Superintendent

Best wishes to a
fine young man.
Your cooperation
has been wonderful.
Many thanks. Best
I wish to you.
Sincerely
J. B. M. C.

H. H.
 "I filed your message
 to a star" aim high!
 if you can do no more
 you will put forth
 your best effort at times but
 things are hard enough to
 we have to be big hearted
 nice over them - Mrs. Bowles
 I have not faith in you -

DEDICATION



MRS. L. J. BOWLES

Words are such cold, impersonal things, unless one speaks the language of the heart—and then there is no need for them.

OUR FACULTY



MR. HERMAN L. FIREBAUGH
Principal



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SECOND ROW: Mrs. Arthur Webb, Mrs. R. A. Cosby, Mrs. James A. Allard, Mrs. Horace Franklin, Miss Mary Martin, Mrs. H. L. Firebaugh.

THIRD ROW: Mrs. L. J. Bowles, Miss Jenise Seay, Mr. John Thornton, Mrs. Charles Bradshaw, Mr. Edgar Bolte, Mrs. Max Harlan, *Secretary*.

ABSENT: Mrs. T. G. West, Mrs. L. C. Walton, Mrs. James A. Tilman.

Best wishes, J. H. H.
M. Martin
H. L. I have enjoyed working with you. put name on file.



To her guidance and assistance
we owe the annual. We, the
Class of 1948, are sincerely grate-
ful and wish to express our deep
appreciation to

MISS JENISE SEAY

*It's a matter of opinion, I know,
but I think you are the finest
thing in school. The very best of
everything you give. You make
give. You make the best of it.*

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CLASS OF '48

MOTTO: *He Conquers Who Thinks He Can*

COLORS: *Blue and White*

FLOWER: *Daisy*



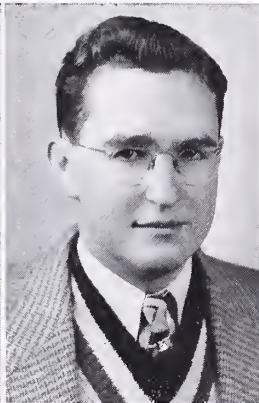
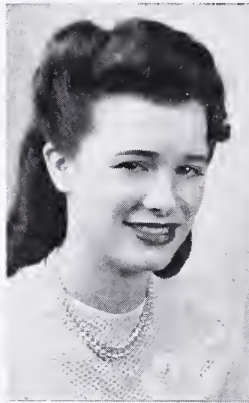
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*I hope you
and Mildred will
be very happy together.
Royce and I want you
both to come to see
us real soon.
Barbara*

CLASS OF '48

BARBARA ADAMS

Glees Club 1947-'48
F. H. A. 1944-'48
Safety Patrol 1944-'48
Cafeteria 1944-'48
Office Worker 1944-'48
Dancing 1947-'48
Chorus 1947-'48
Secretary Safety Patrol 1947-'48



HOWARD BOWLES

Library Staff 1944-'45
Safety Patrol 1947-'48
Annual Staff 1947-'48

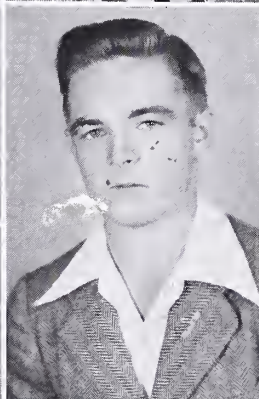
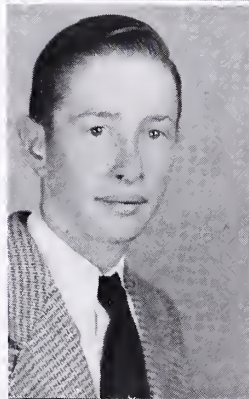
*Good Luck,
Howard*

PAUL WINFREE ANDERSON

F. F. A. 1944-'46
Baseball 1945-'48
Safety Patrol 1947-'48

*"Best of Luck to
a good pal."*

Winfree



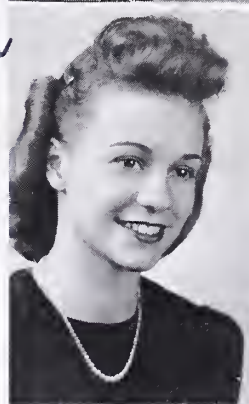
LAWRENCE BRADSHAW

Football 1946-'47
Baseball 1946-'48
F. F. A. Club 1944-'48
Vice-President of Sophomore
Class

VIRGINIA BODIE

F. H. A. 1944-'48
Library Staff 1944-'46
Glee Club 1944-'48
Softball 1946-'48
Office Worker 1944-'47
Dramatic Club 1944-'45
Safety Patrol 1944-'48
Beta Club 1946-'48
Cafeteria 1944-'46

*Best of Luck
Virginia*



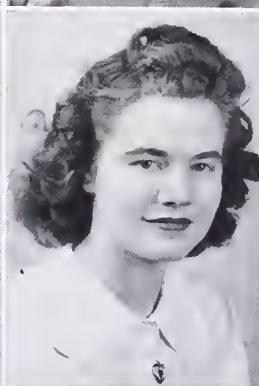
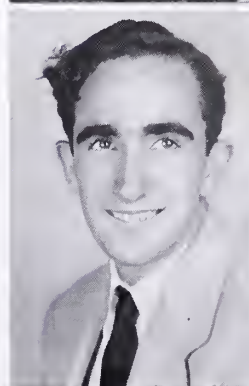
CHARLES DUNKLEY

A returned *member*

*There's nothing
you the best of
luck. Charlie.*

HERBERT BOWLES

Football 1945-'47
Basketball 1946-'46
Baseball 1945-'48
Vice-President of Junior Class
Bus Driver 1946-'48



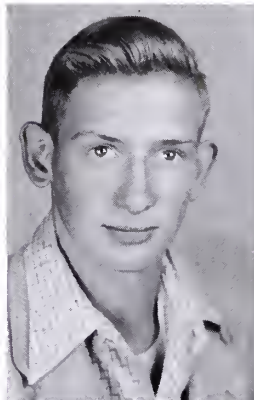
RUBY DUTY

F. H. A. Club 1944-'48
Glee Club 1944-'48
Softball 1944-'46
Basketball 1946-'47
Chorus 1947-'48

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DAVID HAURAND

F. F. A. 1944-'46
Safety Patrol 1944-'47
Football 1944-'47
Office Worker 1944-'46
Baseball 1944-'48
President of Junior Class
Annual Staff 1947-'48
Treasurer of Senior Class
Bus Driver 1946-'48

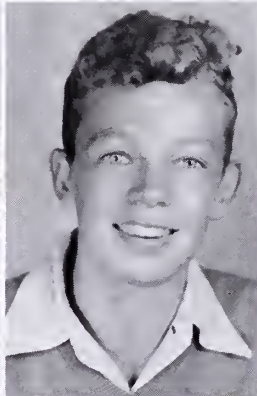


MARION MANN

Beta Club 1945-'48
Dramatic Club 1944-'45
Chorus 1947-'48
Literary Contest 1944-'46
Chorus 1974-'48
Library Staff 1944-'48
Safety Patrol 1946-'48
Student Council 1947-'48
Annual Staff 1947-'48

EVELYN MAE HUBBARD

F. H. A. Club 1944-'48
Beta Club 1945-'48
Glee Club 1944
Safety Patrol 1947-'48
Cafeteria Worker 1944-'48
Library Staff 1945



STEVE MESSENGER

Football Substitute 1946-'47
Cafeteria Worker 1945-'47
Literary Contest 1946
Boys' State 1947
Annual Staff 1947-'48
Library Staff 1947-'48
Glee Club 1947-'48
Student Council 1947-'48

JAMES F. HUBBARD

F. F. A. 1943-'47
Library Staff 1944-'45
Football 1946-'47
Bus Driver 1945-'47
Baseball Team 1946-'47
Safety Patrol 1947-'48

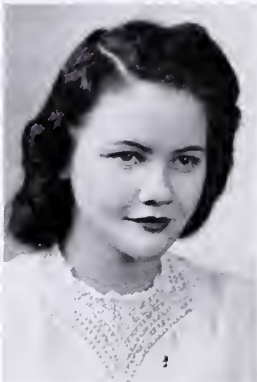


BETTY MONTGOMERY

Basketball 1946-'47
Office Helper 1944-'47
F. H. A. 1944-'48
Song Leader 1945-'46
Sec. of F. H. A. Club 1946-'47
Beta Club 1945-'48
Glee Club 1944-'48
Library Staff 1944-'48
Safety Patrol 1946-'48
Student Council 1947-'48
Chorus 1947-'48

EVELYN LAYNE

Glee Club 1944-'48
Beta Club 1945-'48
Chorus 1947-'48
Library Staff 1945-'48
Basketball Team 1946
Office Worker 1946-'47



BEULAH MOYER

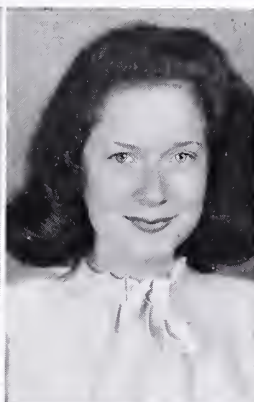
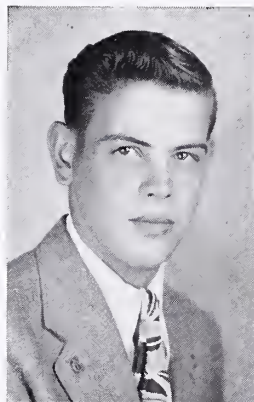
F. H. A. Club 1944-'48
Glee Club 1944-'48
Beta Club 1946-'48
Cafeteria Worker 1944-'48
Annual Staff 1947-'48
Basketball 1946-'47

CLASS OF '48

*Good luck -
Millicent*

STUART MOYER

F. F. A. 1944-'48
Basketball 1946-'47
Cafeteria Worker 1947-'48

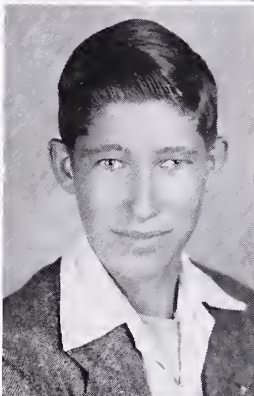
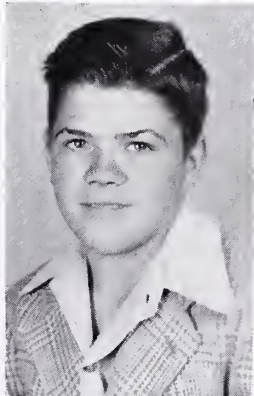


MILLICENT PAYNE

Beta Club 1945-'48
Sec. of Beta Club 1946-'47
President of Beta Club 1947-'48
F. H. A. 1945-'48
Treasurer of F. H. A. Club
1946-'47
Glee Club 1945-'46
Basketball 1946-'47
Sec. of Student Council 1947-'48

WALLACE MOYER

F. F. A. 1944-'48
President of F. F. A. Club
1947-'48
Safety Patrol 1947-'48
Library Staff 1944-'45
Cafeteria Worker 1947-'48
Baseball 1947-'48



JAMES PENNINGTON

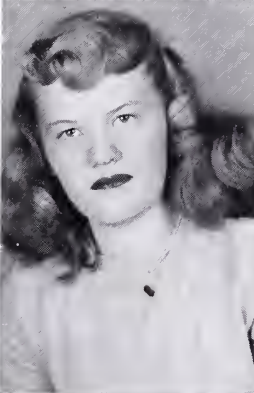
F. F. A. 1944-'48
Sub. for Bus Driver

DOROTHY OWEN

Glee Club 1944-'48
F. H. A. Club 1944-'48
Reporter of F. H. A. Club
1946-'47
Softball 1944-'48
Captain of Softball Team 1948
Beta Club 1946-'48
Student Council 1947-'48
Cafeteria Worker 1945-'48

*May you
and
Michael
be
very happy.*

*Best wishes to
a sweet
person - Dorothy.*



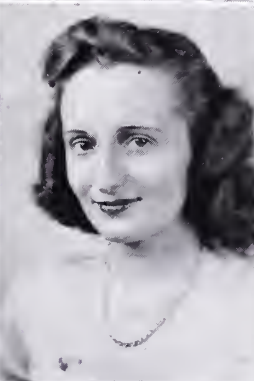
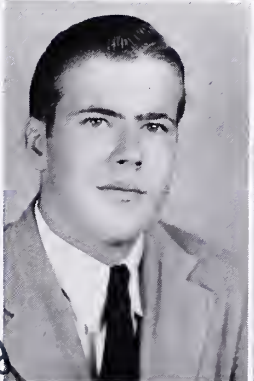
MARY PICKELS

Softball 1947-'48
Glee Club 1947-'48

*Best of luck in
everything you do.
Mary*

SAMMY PARKER

Office Worker 1944-'45
Sec. of Class 1944-'45
Football 1944-'47
Baseball 1944-'48
Literary Meet 1946-'47
President of Senior Class
1947-'48
President of Student Council
1947-'48
Glee Club 1947-'48



ELSIE SCHROEDER

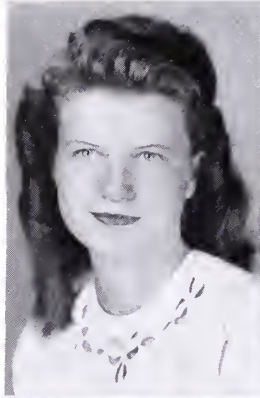
Glee Club 1944-'48
F. H. A. 1945-'48
Cafeteria Worker 1946-'48

*Good luck
and no long to a good
past. Keep things buzzing
around "Pinkie"*

CLASS OF '48

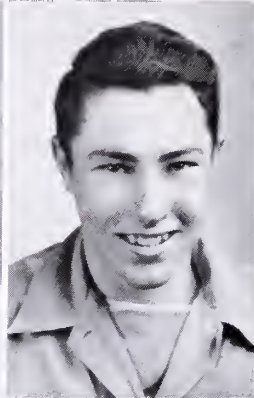
PHYLLIS WELLS

F. H. A. Club 1945-'48
Glee Club 1944-'48
Cafeteria Worker 1944-'48
Safety Patrol 1947-'48
Chorus 1947-'48



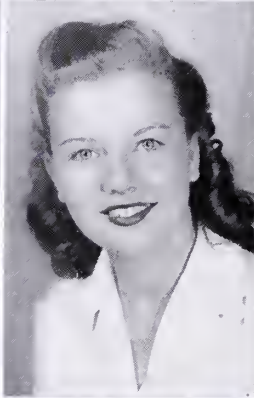
GEORGE SELLER

Class President 1944-'45
F. F. A. Club 1944-'46
Substitute Bus Driver 1946-'48
Football 1946-'47



DOT WORSHAM

Glee Club 1944-'48
Beta Club 1944-'48
Treasurer of Beta Club 1947-'48
F. H. A. 1944-'48
Sec. of F. H. A. Club 1946-'47
President of F. H. A. Club 1947-'48
Sec. of Jolly Six Federation 1947-'48
Vice-President of Class 1944-'45
Class Treasurer 1946-'47
Class Secretary 1947-'48

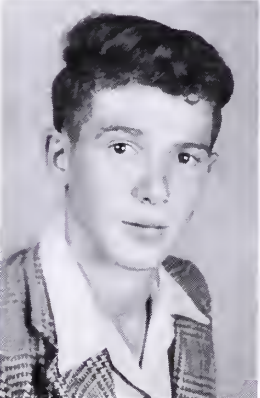


FLOSSIE SPICER

Cafeteria Worker 1946-'48

ANN WEBB

Library Staff 1944-'45
Cafeteria Worker 1944-'45;
1947-'48
Beta Club 1945-'48
Vice-President of Beta Club 1947-'48
Basketball 1946-'47
Literary League 1946-'47
F. H. A. Club 1944-'48
Treasurer of F. H. A. 1947-'48
Annual Staff 1947-'48
Safety Patrol 1947-'48

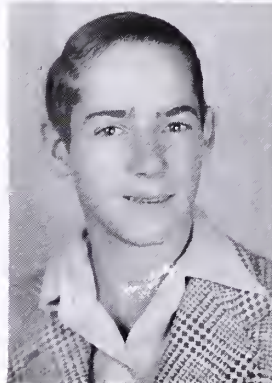


JOE WORSHAM

Class Treasurer 1944-'45
F. F. A. 1944-'46

PERCY WEBB

F. F. A. Club 1944-'48
Substitute Bus Driver 1947-'48
Bus Driver 1948



*I wish you all had
wildness all over people
happening any two of people
could have. Send love!
Dot*

*Best of Luck Always
Ann*

I don't know whether I should say "Darling" or not, but I am sure you'll miss it. Nevertheless, I hope you'll see someone who soon after that our dreams will come true. No??

MILDRED HOBSON



POST GRADUATES

*May you have lots of Happiness.
Baugh*

BAUGH DENOON

Education is a precious thing. It is, inevitably, the cornerstone of a democracy. This realization sometimes comes too late; we, as students, are often blind to the advantages and opportunities which avail themselves to us through knowledge.

However, through a post-graduate commercial course, we feel we have found a way to increase our assets and, perhaps, eventually better our way of life. This, in a sense, is why we have come back.



CLASS OF '49



FIRST ROW: Lois Anderson, Herbert Bell, Barbara Booker, Evelyn Brown, Nancy Brown.
 SECOND ROW: Jimmy Crump, Walter Drinkard, Thomas Farris, Bertha Gills, LaVerne Grotz.
 THIRD ROW: R. F. Jessup, Marshall Lipscomb, Evelyn Parrish, Elizabeth Pitts, Doris Poore.
 FOURTH ROW: Mary Ruth Robens, Robert Shires, Mary Smith, Helen Sprouse, Earl Tilman.
 FIFTH ROW: H. H. Webb, Eleanor Wilkinson.
 ABSENT: Hoover Berry.

CLASS OF '50

*hope to see you after school
is out. Best of luck Bessie.*

Good luck to you and Millie Maude Ann

The best of luck to a good friend Sallie



FIRST ROW: Bobby Adkins, Lawrence Allen, Bessie Angle, Wilburn Batterson, Mary Bishop, Howard Clark.

SECOND ROW: Shirley Dandridge, Mary Jane Goodwyn, N. B. Goodwyn, Mary Ann Heath, Sallie Mae Hurt, Maude Ann Jackson.

THIRD ROW: Elane Jamerson, Jim Jervey, Rose Kammerer, B. D. Kornegay, Elwood Lawson, Dorothy Losey.

FOURTH ROW: Dottie Mann, Peggy Moore, Martha Ann Pitts, Alex Reams, Frances Smith, Donald Stewart.

FIFTH ROW: Jackie Taylor, Eileen Weekly, Alice Webb, Naney Worsham, Wesley Worsham, George Wright.

I wish you and Millie the best of luck and

Remember well and bear in mind that Student and I are not far behind. Mary H.

Best wishes to a good bus driver "Bessie"

Best wishes to you a very happy future to you No

CLASS OF '52



FIRST ROW: Nelson Batterson, Joyce Blankenship, Rebekah Bradbury, Mary Carneal, Margertte Cartr, Martha Jane Clayton, Edward Coppedge.

SECOND ROW: Harriet Cosby, Hallie Creed, Shirley Daniels, Charlotte Firebaugh, Betty Floto, Charlsie Franklin, Waitzell Gwaltney.

THIRD ROW: Evelyn Hancock, Jean Kilby, Loxley Morrison, Jean Moss, Mary Morris, Annie Mae Puett, Rufus Sadler.

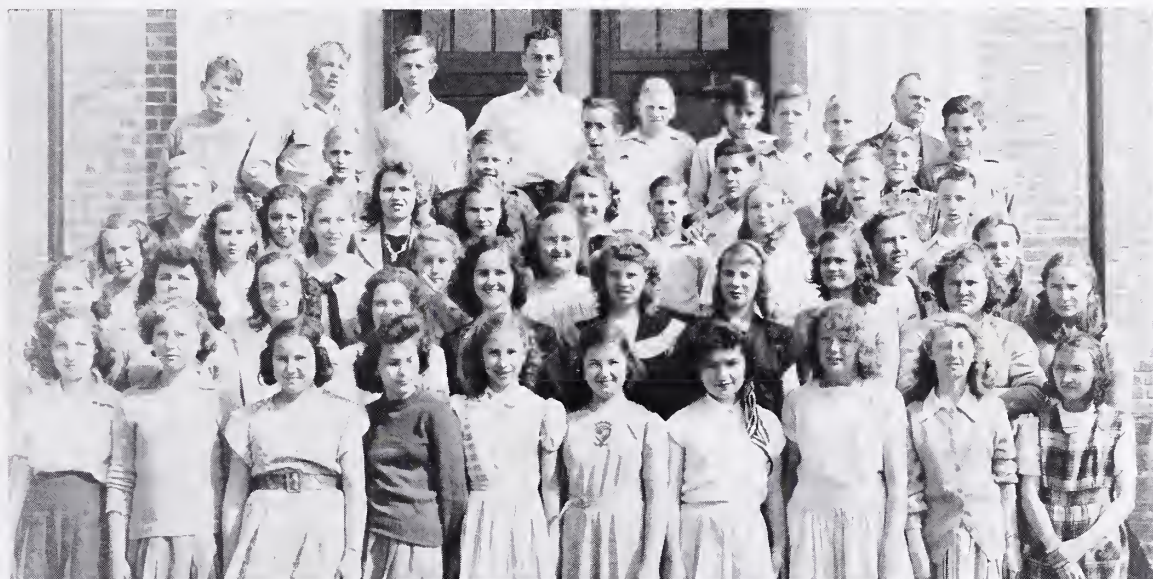
FOURTH ROW: Berkely Slachter, Arthur Smith, Barbara Smith, Sylvia Starr, Agnes Stratton, Julia Tucker, Jean Tunstall.

FIFTH ROW: Francis Urbine, Ned West, Lucy Worsham.

ABSENT: Howard Berry, Joe Michael, Wayne Myer, Nola Wright.

SEVENTH GRADE

FIRST Row: Anna Lee Davis Mozelle Cook, Joyce Palmore, Katherine Wood, Katherine Kammerer, Thelma Walker, Shirley Breedlove, Geraldine Bonovitch, Mable Beverly, Joyce Morris. SECOND Row: Kathleen Sullivan, Thelma Myer, Phyllis Brown, Grace Owen, Shirley Dalton, Avallee Osborne, Nannie Seay, Nancy Gills, Doris Condrey, Edith White. THIRD Row: Jo Anne Carr, Norma Jean Carr, Louise Davis Kathleen Riley, Sue Hurt, Ruthie Hensley, Hannah Boyer. FOURTH Row: Mrs. Walton, Betty West, Fern Osborne, Jane Nicholls, Evelyn Lee Jessup, Dickie Barden, Martha Payne. FIFTH Row: Lewis Elder, Bobbie Robertson, Jimmy Davis, Eugene Butler, Douglas Palmore, Jesse Green, Jr. SIXTH Row: James Grotz, Sidney Stokes, Monroe Clayton, Charles Cosby, Carroll Parrish, David Poore, Bobbie Plyler, Irvin Walker, William Thornton, Dr. Michael, Russell Harris. ABSENT: Linwood Harris.



SIXTH GRADE

FIRST Row: Jacquelin Pickels, Margaret Combs, Janice Bonovitch, Edith Clark, Jane Davies, Patsy Fuller, Shirley Michael, Christine Clements, Nancy Slachter, Paul Perkins. SECOND Row: Gaye Walker, Betty Combs, Virginia White, Virginia Bishop, Nancy Settle, Dan Piercy, Jimmy Wright, Durwood Peacock. THIRD Row: Virginia Gills, Alma Brown, Betty Lou Correia, Marie Cave, Frank Clayton, Robert Smith. FOURTH Row: James Bishop, Earl Dandridge, Ellis Palmore, Ralph Barden, John Farris, Carl Heath. FIFTH Row: Zaro Cook, Lawrence Anderson, Jimmy Layne.

FIFTH GRADE

FIRST Row: Nancy Adams, Joyce Bradbury, Ann Wright, Allen Gills, Maynard Hall, Dorothy Wells, Hazel Condrey, Ann Barden, Richard White, Lewis Lawson, Monroe Cook, James Thornton. SECOND Row: Barbara Vaughn, Laura Batterson, Alma West, Mary Belle Trent, Mary Lane, Oliver Morrison, Florence Emerson, June Shillett, Jeanette Jackson, Ola Mae Blevins, Buster Wilkinson. THIRD Row: Buddy Moss, James Condrey, Raymond Williams, Cleo Trent, Mildred Lawson, Carolyn Jennings, Elizabeth Kennon, Ruth Stokes, Nita Anderson, Thornton. SECOND Row: Barbara Vaughn, Laura Batterson, Alma West, Mary Belle Trent, Spicer, Jean Lawson, Betty Beverley, Janet Carr, Buddy Hurt. FIFTH Row: Nancy Lee Nicholls, Gray Blankenship, Edward Stewart, Bobby Parrish, Alice Smith, Catherine Adams, Arthur Emerson, Alton Lawson, Bobby Cosby, Billy Tunstall. SIXTH Row: Buck Moore, Frank Williams, Steve Wright, Leon Jessup, Miss Jenkins, Howard Collier, Billy Kornegay, James Cliborne, Mrs. Webb.



FOURTH GRADE

FIRST Row: Betty Joan Weakley, Patty Racer, David Barden, Faith Daniels, Betty Jane Willis, Kinsey Bass Green, Doris Adkins, Edward Barden, Clarence Cook, Evelyn Breedlove, Betty Stuart Jones, Burnett Jeter. SECOND Row: Louise Smith, Gladys Cave, Royall Palmore, Goldie Marrs, Suzanne Floto, Iris Walker, Harold Condrey, Bessie Tilman, Wayne Clements, Aubrey Morris. THIRD Row: Germaine Franklin, Vernon Stratton, Alton Smith, Estelle Butler, Shirley Butler, Charles Breedlore, Thomas Clayton, Mary Ann Williams, Jean Wells, Joe Morris, Tommy Nichols. FOURTH Row: Dorothy Allen, Helene Frame, Shirley Denton, Bettie Whitlock, Mirtie Harris, Imogene Hopper, Katherine Gerken, Sally Montgomery, Ronald Davis. FIFTH Row: Frankie Gerken, Ruth Bishop, Louis Urbine, Winfree Williams, Shirley Wood.

COMBINATION OF FOURTH AND THIRD GRADES

FIRST Row: Martha Southern, David Harris, Jean Whitlock, Maude Eloise Powell, Stuart Davis, Durwood Davis. SECOND Row: Ellen Williams, Sarah Jane Firebaugh, Bobby Blankenship, Linda Perkins, Joyce Drinkard, Jane Puett. THIRD Row: Gray Jessup, John Henry Hensley, Aubrey Worsham, Billy Wells, Joan Bass, Richard Bishop. FOURTH Row: Dorothy Smith, Ann Bodie, Letha Bradbury, Danny Davis, Joseph Lewis. FIFTH Row: Mary Lou Reece, Archie Worsham, Charles Blevins, Homer Zartman, Nick Elam, Mrs. Montgomery.



THIRD GRADE

FIRST Row: Price Johnson, Karen Mann, Louise Campbell, Janice Blankenship, Frances Blankenship, Gail Mann, Aileen Shaver, Julia Wright, Ellis Cook, Leonard Walker. SECOND Row: Bernard Hague, Norma Jean Lawson, Barbara Robbins, Virginia Mars, Shirley Steffenhagen, Mary West, Gray Lawson, Frances Denton, Edith Mae Frane, Constance Bull. THIRD Row: Melvin Frame, Maxie Duty, Laura Allen, Laverne Tucker, Douglas Clements, Grant Shifflett, Niles Hopper, Howard Porch, Carroll Hubbard. ABSENT: Martha Chenault. FOURTH Row: Harrison Weaver, Bobby Combs, Arleen Vaughan, Billy Franklin, Wm. Grindstaff, Elbert Hodges, Robert Bishop, Robert Duty, Harold Hodges, Jean Reece, Miss Mc. Dowell.

SECOND GRADE

FIRST ROW: Gerry Piercy, Jimmy Reece, Emmett Riley, Kenneth Davis, Patricia Breedlove, Alice White, Nancy Keenum, Randolph Morrison, Artie Jessup, Ann Lloyd, Nancy Weaver, Lorena Denton, Tommy Dalton, Curtis Lawson. SECOND ROW: Florine Webb, Joyce Davis, Carroll Palmore, Gary Bonovitch, Walter Wood, Jimmy Willis, Roger Cook, Helen Wells, Jean Bass, Mary Ann Clayton, Jo Elam, Connie Walker, Eva Hodges, Nancy Barden. THIRD ROW: Helene Bowles, Earl Worsham, Haywood Dunivan, Billy Stapelkamp, Nicky Reams, Henry Morris, Helen Shifflett, Mildred Smith, Jessie West, Wilbur Webb, Owen Walker, Christian Goodwyn, Linda Smothers. FOURTH ROW: Allen Clayton, Edith Anderson, Audrey Gerken, Dorothy Simpson, Kenneth Moore, Tommy Gills, Elwood Weaver, Armond Combs, Bobby Moore, Buddy Daniels, Edward Layne, Gaynell Hunley, Mary Edith Carter, Ted Adams, Alton Bottoms, Patsy Morris.



FIRST GRADE

FIRST ROW: Joe Barden, Jimmy Moyer, Gene Danderidge, Grayel Hunley, Shelby Johnson, Asterie Clark, Reginald Mitchell, Thaida Duty, Barbara Blankenship, Betty Lou Blevins, John Cook, Brenda May, Harriet Carter, Lucille Campbell, Thomas Lambert. SECOND ROW: Moody Robbins, James Frame, Harley Bishop, Carl Williams, John Leadbetter, Rita Hopper, Rosie Anderson, Estelle Lawson, Doris Pitts, Sarah McDermott, Lois Emerson, Joan Canada, Connie Kennon. THIRD ROW: Clyde Harris, Norman Watson, Gerald Hatcher, Walter Denton, Thomas Gerken, James Carr, James West, Ernie Bradbury, Eugene Smith, Jackie May, Kenneth Shifflett, Dale Reece, Robert Lee Lawes. FOURTH ROW: Preston Ricker, Coy Stewart, John Harris, Frankie Meade, Sammy May, Coleman Mann, David Cave, Norman Hicks, Douglas Trolan, Gabriel Cosby, Stuart Butler, B. K. Cosby, Philip Harris, Steve Johnson.



CLASS HISTORY

In September of 1944, fifty-four green, gangling, giggling individuals entered high school. Mrs. Sheller and Miss Woodward were informed that we were to be their personal problems for the year. Thus the administration sought to develop patience and fortitude in the faculty. The Freshman year, an ordeal for all concerned, eventually wore itself to an uneventful close, with the exception of a few minor mishaps, which are better unrecorded.

The following fall we became sophomores—at least a good majority of us did. This time Miss Gills and Mrs. Swann were elected to sponsor us. The position was open to volunteers. However, there were none. We entered right into the spirit of things. We cooperated wonderfully—with each other, but never completely wore down faculty resistance.

Marion Mann and Millicent Payne entered a state-wide literary contest and won superior rating. This delighted us, for there had been dire remarks made in our hearing, about the extent of our collective intelligence. However, we realized there was something unusual about us, and frequently other people drew similar conclusions.

All in all, we were very proud of ourselves. Members of our class worked in the library, entered athletics and sang in the Glee Club. The Sophomores were truly guiding lights, however, we generously allowed the other classes to bask in our reflected glory—first, of course, plainly indicating the nucleus of the glow.

What we lost in number and noise, we gained in egotism. By the time we were Juniors, we realized that the school literally revolved around us. However, the other classes were ignorant of the fact, and this bothered us frequently.

We suffered pangs of professional jealousy, when the senior class was allowed certain privileges we failed to enjoy. Mrs. Bowles took us in hand and we elected David Haurand, Herbert Bowles, Lorena Hicks and Dot Worsham as our President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, respectively.

Some of our members made the Beta Club—a fact which should erase all doubt as to the superiority of our intellect. We were not at all surprised when the Beta Club won fourth place in a talent show at an interstate convention. We were fully aware of our talents even if no one else had the foresight to recognize them. We were glad, however, that the Jolly Six Federation of the F. H. A. was progressive enough to elect Dot Worsham and Lorena Hicks as secretary and reporter. We didn't believe in hiding our light under a bushel.

We treated the Senior Class to a banquet and formal dance in the spring, and they expressed their appreciation admirably. Later, we honored them by accepting several roles in the senior play, and contributed to the success of the performance. A chorus, composed primarily of juniors, sang at commencement and we feel, added much to the program.

The following year, thirty-four of us entered the Senior Class, under the sympathetic eye of Mrs. Bowles. Sammy, Dot, Millicent and David were our class officers, and we took four post-graduates into our class. We always were big-hearted!

Many things are different this year, including us. We have that "new look." It has taken us quite a while to perfect it, and we still are not quite perfect. The foundation of the look is the bored, cynical glance, so common to some members of the faculty, with just a hint of smugness and sophisticated amusement. The idea behind the look is to create an atmosphere of intelligence, and convey boredom. So far, we've succeeded only in conveying boredom—the atmosphere is potent—but intelligence has nothing to do with it.

We have a commercial course and a Student Council—both in the experimental stages at present, and both remarkably adept at handling situations which may arise either in, or out, of the line of duty.

We are anxiously anticipating the production of "*The Three Girls and Jeffrey*"—our senior play. Of course, commencement will be the climax of all previous proceedings. We are really hot on the trail of that very elusive animal, the diploma and if determination, perspiration and accusations will help any, we're sure to capture him, for we've had our share of all three.



WHO'S WHO

MOST POPULAR	Sammy Parker	Dot Worsham
MOST LOYAL	David Haurand	Millicent Payne
BEST LOOKING	James Hubbard	Barbara Adams
BEST ALL-AROUND	Sammy Parker	Evelyn Hubbard Dorothy Owen
BEST SPORT	Joe Worsham	Ann Webb
MOST TALENTED	Sammy Parker	Marion Mann
BIGGEST FLIRT	James Hubbard	Mary Pickels
CUTEST	Wallace Moyer	Dot Worsham
MOST ORIGINAL	Sammy Parker	Marion Mann
MOST AMBITIOUS	Sammy Parker	Marion Mann Millicent Payne
BIGGEST GRUMBLER.....	Steve Messenger	Betty Montgomery
MOST ATHLETIC	David Haurand	Mary Pickels
WITTIEST	Lawrence Bradshaw	Marion Mann
MOST DIGNIFIED	Howard Bowles	Betty Montgomery
LAZIEST.....	James Pennington	Flossie Spicer
BIGGEST BABY	Wallace Moyer	Elsie Schroeder

HERE 'N THERE



HERE 'N THERE



THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the graduating class of 1948, being of sound mind and in full possession of all of our faculties, do hereby make our last will and testament:

I, Barbara Adams, leave my page boy hair style to Hallie Creed. Hallie, I think that style would be very becoming.

I, Ruby Duty, leave my shorthand books to anyone willing to use them. I hope you have better luck than I did.

I, Evelyn Layne, leave my chemistry book to R. F. Jessup. R. F., you may someday want to be a scientist and notes will help.

I, Marion Mann, leave my ability to draw to all the students who go around writing on the walls and desks. Now, maybe you can put your art on paper.

I, Betty Montgomery, leave my place in Geometry class to Nancy Brown. Naney, I hope you make more progress than I did in "that" class.

I, Beulah Moyer, leave my bookkeeping book to LaVerne Grotz.

I, Dorothy Owen, leave my position as shortstop on the softball team to Dottie Mann. The way you roll your eyes, Dottie, is enough to make the umpire give Powhatan the game.

I, Millieent Payne, leave my soft voice and nice smile to B. D. Kornegay and Mary Jane Goodwyn. I leave my pretty red hair to Rose Cameron. Rose, you won't have to fuss about dyeing your hair now!

I, Mary Pickles, leave my big mouth to Mary Ann Heath. Maybe when you are a senior Mrs. Bowles won't have to fuss at you.

I, Elsie Schoeder, leave my government notes to some junior who needs help.

I, Flossie Spicer, leave my ability to chew gum in class without the teacher catching me to Jimmy Crump. Jimmy, maybe the history teacher won't catch you now.

I, Ann Webb, leave my English notes to Doris Poore. Maybe if Mr. Firebaugh teaches you English you can agree with him. I couldn't!

I, Phyllis Wells, leave my sewing ability to Eleanor Wilkinson. Make lots of pretty dresses, Eleanor.

I, Dorothy Worsham, leave my pretty curls to Barbara Booker. All you have to do when you want curls is to tie paper in your hair, Barbara.

I, Virginia Bodie, leave my sweet smile and southern accent to Lois Anderson. Lois, it's very simple—smile, and use that accent and you will make lots of friends.

I, Evelyn Hubbard, leave my quiet ways and nice disposition to Elizabeth Pitts. Make use of it, Elizabeth, and be sure that ball team wins next year.

I, Wintfree Anderson, leave my way of pestering the girls to Walter Drinkard. Walter, I hope they don't slap you like they did me.

THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

(Continued)

I, Herbert Bowles, leave my curly black hair to Hoover Berry. The girls really go for it, Hoover.

I, Howard Bowles, leave my shy ways to N. B. Goodwyn.

I, Lawrence Bradshaw, leave my precious possessions—the junior girls to next year's senior class.

I, Charles Dunkley, leave my ability to teach bookkeeping to Wesley Worsham. If you use my method the students will learn. Virginia did.

I, David Haurand, leave my ability to drive the tractor to Marshall Lipscomb. Marshall, take my advice and don't look back of you when the tractor is in 5th gear.

I, James Hubbard, leave my ability to get ads for the annual to Evelyn Mae Brown. It takes work, Evelyn.

I, Steve Messenger, leave my good looks to Herbert Bell. They help when it is the question of girls.

I, Stuart Moyer, leave my height to Tommy Farris. Tommy, if you will just get fat along with growing taller, you'll be O.K.

I, Wallace Moyer, leave my ability to be a safety patrol to Helen Sprouse. I hope you won't have too hard a job!

I, Sammy Parker, leave my ability of making speeches to Eileen Weakley. Eileen, if you don't think about it too much, you will be O.K.

I, James Pennington, leave my motor bike to H. H. Webb. You can use it if your car breaks down.

I, Percy Webb, leave my motor bike to Charlotte Firebaugh. Charlotte, I hope your Pop thinks it is safe for you, he didn't think it was safe for me.

I, Joe Worsham, leave my ability to leave the speed eop on route 60 to Jim Jervey. It isn't a good thing to do, though.

I, George Sheller, leave all my books to George Wright. You had better try studying them sometimes.

We, the Senior Class of 1948, leave to the faculty all the amazing knowledge and startling information that we have furnished them in our examination papers from time to time.

To the Junior Class, we will our Senior dignity. May they uphold it with all seriousness and gravity, as we have done.

To the Sophomore Class, we will our undying school spirit and loyalty.

To the 8th grade, we leave all the worries and troubles of upper classmen. May they live through it!

CLASS PROPHECY

George Sheller, the famous doctor, and I are on our way to Europe to supervise the establishment of a new hospital. As I look over the ship's register, I see Betty Montgomery's name there. Naturally, I decide to look her up as we had been good friends in high school. I find her lounging in a deck chair. We begin discussing old times and exchanging gossip about our school friends. She is going to London to sing the leading role in the opera "Madam Butterfly." This is a command performance before the King and Queen. She tells me that Sammy Parker and Charles Dunkley have made quite a name for themselves as head of a large construction firm. Starting out young on that cabin really helped them! Wintree Anderson is doing their bookkeeping. Sammy had some trouble with the law not very long ago, but with the aid of the famous attorney, Marion Mann, he came out on top.

I had come from Virginia to New York by plane. Evelyn Hubbard was traveling on the same plane to take her vacation. She had been secretary to the commonwealth attorney of Powhatan County for several years. Flossie Spicer is stewardess on our plane, somehow the air pockets seem to keep her awake.

As Betty and I continued to talk, I told her about my sight-seeing trip around New York while waiting for my boat to leave. I couldn't resist going to see James, as I passed the Pennington Motor Bike Company. He told me that he wouldn't have been able to start his company without the backing of the bank of which Howard Bowles is president. It is the same one from which he at one time sent out calendars. David Haurand is cashier there.

Suddenly to our great delight and surprise who should walk up but Millicent Payne and Dot Worsham. Millicent says that after leaving high school she studied science, but that now she has settled down to housekeeping. She and her husband are on a belated honeymoon. Dot, who is now a star newspaper reporter, is going over to get a first hand account of the basketball, spelling and shorthand contests between various nations. Beulah Moyer is to compete in the basketball contests, Steve Messenger in the spelling contest, and Dorothy Owen in the shorthand contest.

It is getting cool on deck so we retire to our staterooms. A magazine with a familiar face on the cover attracts my attention. It looks like one of my old classmates, but to be sure I read the article. I am right, it is James Hubbard, who is now singing with Sunshine Sue.

As I look through the magazine I see a large advertisement: "Percy's Poultry Is the Best." Percy Webb seems to have carried on very well in his chosen profession. Wallace Moyer's advertisement takes a whole page. "Wallace's Grain Makes the Best Flour." It seems that everyone is making bread since Wallace has started to farm. As I continue reading the magazine, I come upon an article on child psychology written by Ann Webb, the famous teacher and lecturer.

The fashion section also attracts my attention. I see the styles have gotten shorter again thanks to many economy-wise style designers (like Mary Piekles).

I close the magazine and turn to read my mail that was sent to the boat. There's a letter from Barbara Adams. She says that she is married now and teaching dancing in her spare time. Also she tells me of my other classmates. Phyllis Wells is married to Dennis and is living in California. Lawrence Bradshaw has gotten to be head of the Powhatan Highway Commission. Joe Worsham, algebra teacher at Powhatan, is getting along fine. Herbert Bowles is married and living in one of the cabins at Plain View. He is manager of the Greyhound Bus lines.

There is Elsie Schroeder, who is dean of an exclusive girls' school at Powhatan, and Virginia Bodie, who has a nursing school there.

The rest of my trip is uneventful, but memories of high school life keep coming back as I think of the things I have just learned about my high school friends.

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*The Student Council is noted
For problems on which it has voted.
But never the less,
When we get in a mess,
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Tho' the books on the shelves
Must take care of themselves
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*A. J. -
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has been
a pleasant
one. I hope
to know
you better.
You glad
to be in
the same
community
with you.
Best wishes!
Mrs. Franklin*

*H. H. I'm
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great things
of you.
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the making
of a very
fine person
and leader.
I believe
you will
do it, too.
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And don't complain
Though they all have pneumonia for
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*This is the Chorus, can they sing!
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Most every day
They make the rafters ring.*

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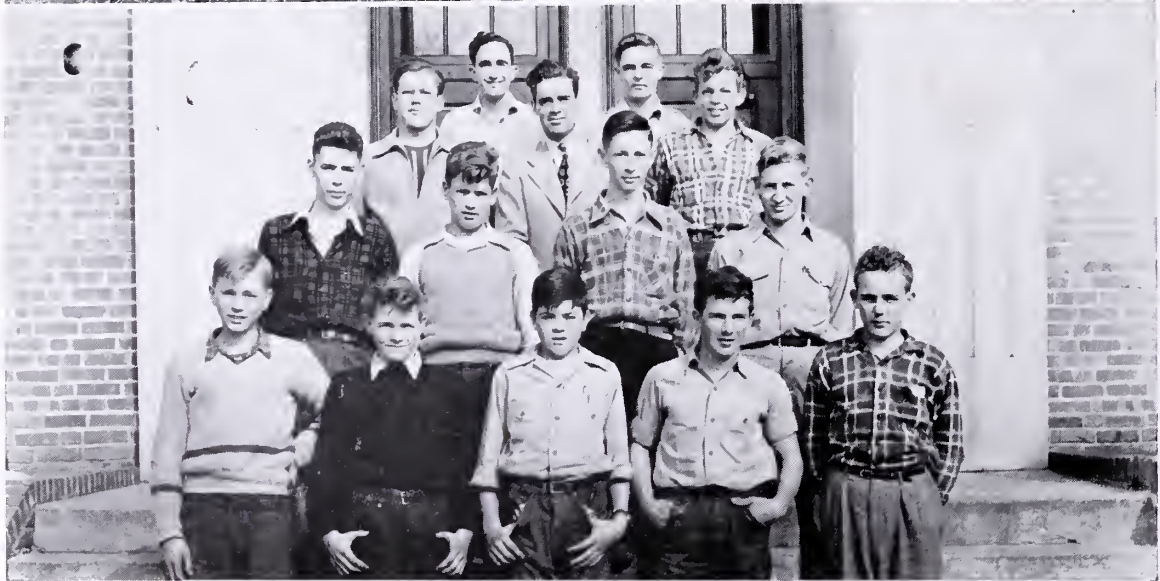
*These he-men at whom you are staring
Are really worth the appraising.
They raise cattle and goats,
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*These lassies of the lively art
Give their opponents quite a start.
With every game
They rise to fame,
These gals are plenty smart!*

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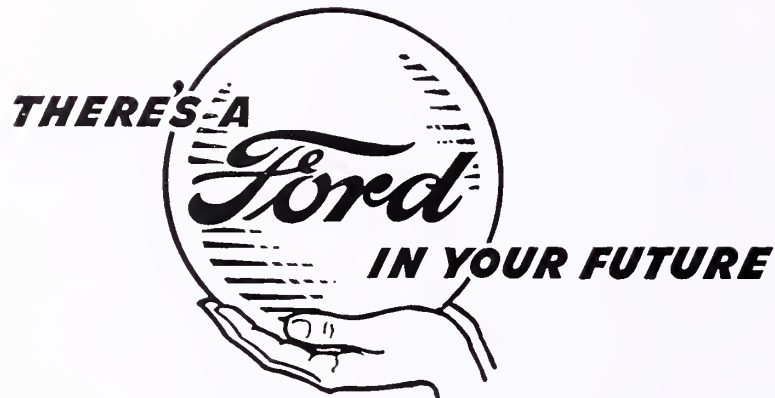


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